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## **MEMORANDUM**

SUBJECT: Request for Expeditious Review

Update of Data Submitted by Vikwood Ltd.

on Neem Extract (Azadirachtin)

TO:

John Melone, Director

Hazard Evaluation Division (TS-769)

The reviews that we wish to have updated are the Toxicology Branch (TOX) review and the Ecological Effects Branch (EEB) review. These reviews are associated with EPA File Symbol 45167-R and Petition #5G3255. The specific reviews were done by the respective branches on these dates: TOX on April 20, 1984, and EEB on January 16, 1984. Also, any other related reviews done on this product should be considered in this update.

## Reasons for Update Request:

The Hazard Evaluation Division (HED) reviews (TOX and EEB) were done prior to (1) this active ingredient (ai) being classified as a biochemical, consequently, the data requirement could vary; (2) since these reviews, the applicant has submitted an application requesting an exemption from the requirements of a tolerance on all raw agricultural commodities. The petition for a tolerance exemption was not heretofore reviewed by TOX.

Since the raw data on this ai have been reviewed previously, and this is just an update request, I am asking for your cooperation in obtaining an expeditious review to be completed by July 8, 1985.

I would appreciate knowing if this deadline can be met.

Douglas D. Campt, Director Registration Division (TS-767C)

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